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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Kazuo HORIKAWA
Serial Number : 09/990,270
Filed : November 23, 2001
For : LOCK CLEVER DEVICE FOR WORKING IMPLEMENT
DRIVE CONTROL SYSTEM OF CONSTRUCTION
MACHINE VEHICLE
Examiner : William C. Joyce
Group Art Unit : 3682

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 7, 2003

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official action mailed December 13, 2005. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, making a response due on or before March 13, 2006.

Claim amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.